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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: **Mastrianni et al.**

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For: **Method and Apparatus for the  
Automatic Migration of Applications  
and Their Associated Data and  
Configuration Files**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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In response to the Office Action dated October 5, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper;

Amendments to the Figures begin on page 3 of this paper;

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.